IT IS A TIE JEFFERSON ON

Bowling Tournament Finish Is Neck and Neck

Team No. 1, Barragar, Murphy at King, and Team, No. 4, Thomas, Clayson and Town, will have to play a sep arate contest in order to ascertain which team is entitled to the Kern tro phy. These teams completed their games with team No. 2, Pitman, Rock and Hinds, last night, compltheir 20 games in the series, and each figlished with 13 victories and seven de-

Barragar, Murphy and King playe Pitman, Rock and Hinds first, and each team won one game. Then the latter by Thomas, Clayson and Town.

that all the teams and all the individual players can complete their record.

That the contest be completed is particularly desired by those who wish to arrange three men and five men teams to meet like teams from Juneau. The selections for this purpose can be made more easily when all the players shall have made a complete record in the tournament. If these teams shall meet and play the series of games that have been scheduled between them it will probably be before the tie between teams No. 1 and 4 is played off.

The score in last nights games fol-

THE SECTION AND THE SECTION		2000
lows:		
Team No. 2		
	-Gan	105-
	4	5
Pitman	146	128
Rock	200	154
Hinds	141	126
	407	408
Team No. 1	487	400
Team No. 1		2000
Barragar	172	167
Murphy	127	152
King	176	120
	427	439
	475	429
Highest score-Rock,	200; sec	ond,
King, 176. Highest average Flock	177; sec	ond,
Barragar, 170.		
Team No. 4		
	-Games	
	4	5
Thomas,	193	176
Clayson	194	195
Town	164	120
- 1 and - 1	-50	491
	551	491
Team No. 2		
Pitman	151	128
	172	
		164
Rock	122	179
Hinds		

Highest score -Clayson, 195; see

ond, Thomas, 185. Highest score for the evening-Rock, 200; second, Clayson, 195.

Highest average for the evening-Clayson, 195; second, Thomas, 185.

Standing	of th	e Test	
	Won	Lost	Per Cent
Team No. 1	13	17	650
Team No. 4		7	650
Team No.2	12	8	400
Team No. 5	6	9.	400
Team No. 3		10	333

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Thomas, Clayson and Town made the largest team score of the tournament last night—551. The largest previous score, 535, was made by Ward, Jensen and Reuwick.

A great deal of interest is now manished the great great deal of interest is now manished to the control of the contr and Recwick.

A great deal of interest is now manifested in the contest between the leading teams for the championship. They will play five games some evening that has not been designated as yet. In the five games these teams played against each other in the nournament. Thomas, Clayson and Town won three and Barragar, Murphy and King, two.

The desire is quite strong among the players and those interested that Ward, Jensen and Renwick and Flaharty, Simenstad and Tanner play their series of games. While neither team can get the championship, it is thought the whole contest should be played out so that all the teams and all the indivi-

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postion of time that this little garrison will be surrounded by Indians and

starved out. "Who shall go, major? We have nonbut recruits who know no more about steering through Indians than the nav-igation of the air."

"Look them over, select the best man u can find and send him to me." The captain departed and in half an hour returned with Stiefel, the post

"Major," said the officer, "there's not

and signed a contract to that effect.

He further stated verbally that if Stieried off to Siberia. Count Alexievec'
fel was successful the amount should appeared to be as surprised and indis fel was successful the amount should be doubled and he should be given the most valuable post in the department

wherein to sell his goods.

The next morning the sutler started out to make a journey of twenty miles. which he was confident he could ac complish before evening if not handiby all at the fort, who wondered that he went by day and without His departure was watched he went by day and without any weap-on except a walking stick. Stiefel told them that there were more ways than one of doing things, and if he got through it would be by entirely differ-ent means from those usually resorted

The sutler walked for the first ten or fifteen miles through a wood, from which he emerged at the summit of a hill where he could plainly see Fort Wilson, with the stars and stripes floating above it. He was congratulating himself that he would get through without trouble when he saw a party of Indians at the foot of the hill looking up at him. They had just observed him and a moment later spurred their ponies toward him.

Stiefel stood like a statue looking out on the plain, and as the Indians approached appeared not to observe them, though they were directly before and beneath him. When they came near he put his hands above his head and made a salaam to the sun, that at the time stood directly over the fort The Indians paused, but soon advanced again. Stiefel stooped, picked up a couple of stones at his feet and rubbed them together, muttering the while

They burst into a flame.

Again the Indians paused, this tin in wonder, and Stiefel could hear the Indian words for medicine man re-peated from mouth to mouth. Some of them were turning as from a supernat-ural being that might strike them down by enchantment, but one, evi-dently their leader, called them back. Again they came on, and as Stiefel did did not make any movement in defense they did not even raise their weapons. Just before they reached him Stiefel drew a circle about him with his cane. from the end of which as it touched the ground came fire and smoke, which sputtered and fumed till the circle was complete. Then when lifted from the

round it was again but a stick

Most of the Indians hid their faces on their ponies' necks; some started to flee; all showed evidence of terror. Th

chief alone maintained his ground.

Then Stiefel began to make friendly signs to them, asking if they needed food. Without waiting for a reply he stepped up to one of the horses and from his belly drew forth a chicken. from another eggs and from a third a double handful of coffee in the bean. While this increased the superstitious wonder of the Indiana, it caused then to look with more favor upon this won-derful medicine man, the like of whom they had never seen, Stiefel gave them down the hill. It was not long, how ever, before he heard them coming Turning, he saw the chief in advance a half circle before him, it spat fire as before, and the Indians stood still. Stiefel pointed to the chief contemptu-Feb. 17, 23, Mch. 1 only and used the Indian words for chicken heart. Then advancing he thrust his hand under the chief's arm and pulled out a heart which all could was that of a chicken. Instantly the chief cowered, and the rest began to upbraid him. Stiefel turned and walked slowly away. Once only again he heard them coming. Turning, he toss-ed a white ball the size of a boy's marble among them. It exploded and scattered them in every direction. Stiefel was not further molested and within was not further molested and within two hours delivered his message.

Soon after his arrival at the fort a wagon train loaded with provisions an escorted by a troop of cavalry started to relieve the impoverished garrison Stiefel went with them and when he had told his story received his reward.

"Where did you learn to spit fire and all that sort of thing?" asked the "I was once assistant to a prestidigi-

tator," replied the sutler.
"You've got the devil's nerve," the
major observed. "You should be a soldier." HENRY V. BISSELL.

A WOMAN'S REASON

[Original.]

enough of incident con entrated in the wedding day of Dr "Captain," said the major to one of his officers, "I must get a message through to Fort Wilson, or it is only a die class, for a whole lifetime. Us Dmitri Urbanieff and Katharine Tonsbanleff had returned from his medica studies in Paris with a light heart, for Katharine was expecting him, and they were to be married soon after his ar-

He found domesticated in the of Katharine's father Count Alexie vech, who had some months previous appeared in the village near by and who had brought a letter of introdu who had brought a letter of infroduction to Tonskol. For what he came and how long he proposed to stay he gave no information. Dmiltri, when he found the young man so intimate with the family of his sweetheart, was troubled, but he soon made the discovery that Kethering did not like the count. a man at the post who will volunteer to take your message except Stiefel. He has one qualification—he has been an Indian trader and knows how to make himself understood by them."

Total the young man so intimate with the family of his sweetheart, was trought and this reassured him. Why she did not have the family of his sweetheart, was trought to the his sweetheart had not his sweetheart. inself understood by them."
"Stiefel! Are we soldiers to rely for hazardous duty on a citizen—a sutter?"

and this reassured him. Why she did not fancy her father's guest was a puzzle, for the doctor could see plainly that the count seemed to desire her fa "I'm not going to fight 'em, major," said Stiefel. "I'll try to get through in a different way. I've tried my hand at a good many ways of making a living. I might as well try constitutions that the count seemed to dealire her favor. When Dmitri asked Katharine for a reason for her prejudice she gave him no better one than that Alksievech was "cross eyed." Dmitri laughed as rood many ways of making a was "cross eyed." Dmitri laughed at I might as well try carrying this feminine reason and thought no more about the matter.

The major looked at the man in astonishment. You mean that you brought a shock to the community. A would risk almost certain death for "I'll take your message for \$100."
When the major had recovered from his surprise he agreed to pay the \$100 and signed a contract to that effect.

He further stated was that the young doctor, who was to have been married in the evening, was among them. The prisoners instead of being given a trial were hurrested, and the most harrowing fea and as any one and volunteered to start at once for St. Petersburg, where he claimed to have influence, to pro-cure the doctor's release. Dmitri was earnest in his gratitude and begge the count to strain every nerve to fre-him before it should be too late. Kath arine could only cling to her lover, de

After her lover's departure she pass a few hours in an agony of despa Then suddenly a desperate resolve to possession of her. She distrusted the count's promise. Shortly previous to the wedding day he had left her fa ther's house and taken rooms in th village. Katharine ordered a drosky and drove to his rooms. Instead of sending for him to come down she rat upstairs and knocked at his door. She found him walking the floor. "Why are you not on the way to St.

asked.

and way to St.

and There is no other till tomorrow."

"There is a train on the other road at this afternoon. You have only to drive five miles to it to catch it."

"Eh? Are you sure? I don't believe there is time."

"There is time. Come. I brosky below. I will it."

The count began to busy himself with preparation, making a great dea of fuss while doing very little. Katha rine saw his revolver lying on a table.
"You will need this," she said, taking
it up and thrusting it in a pocket of
her dress. "Come, we have no time to

into a bag, accompanied her downstair They got into the drosky. Katharine seized the reins and drove away as fast as the horse would carry them.

As they were passing through a

wood Katharine complained that he fingers were numb and asked the count to take the reins. He had no sooner done so than he felt something ressed against his neck and heard the

lick of a pistol.
"Flend," said Katharine, "I know all You are one of the chiefs of police an have been ferreting out this plot. Yo have implicated Dmitri to get him out of the way the better to get m into your clutches. I hate you, and

am going to kill you."
"Katharine! For heaven's sake, o
what are you accusing me?"

"Write an order for the release of Dmitri or I fire."

"But I have no authority."

"Write." The count, who had by this tim aught a glance of the girl's desperaface, took out his notebook, tore o leaf, wrote the order and gave it t

"Drop the reins and get out of the drosky," she said. He obeyed, and

Katharine, whipping up the horse, wa soon out of sight. She knew that the route the prisoners had taken was the one she was on their conductor intending to take th on the train she had proposed to count to take. She soon overtook party, produced the order, which w respected, her lover got into the drook and they drove homeward. When a proaching the village they saw the count ahead of them. He was walking with his head bent down on his When they came up to him he looked up as though in a dream. Dmitri got out of the drosky and demanded satisfaction for the wrong that had been done him. The count looked at Kath-arine with a hopeless expression, ask ed her to give Dmitri the re and bared his breast. Dmitri turn away, got into the drosky and, without a word from him or Katharine to the count, drove on.

At the hour that had been announce for the wedding the bride and groom were ready, and, as the news of Dmi-tri's release had spread like wildfire. the guests were assembled. The cere-mony passed as quietly as had been

When the bride and groom were alone together Dmitri asked:

"Katharine, how did you know the
man was the cause of my arrest?"

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